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NOTE DELIVERED BY MINISTRY MESSENGER TO EMBASSY AT 1710 HOURS MOSCOW TIME, TEN MINUTES AFTER BEGINNING BROADCAST BY MOSCOW RADIO. EMBASSY ASSUMES DEPARTMENT WILL BY NOW HAVE TEXT FROM FBIS. BRIEF SUMMARY FOLLOWS.

KHRUSHCHEV: 1. HAS GIVEN ORDER TO DISMANTLE MISSILES, PACK THEM UP AND BRING THEM BACK TO USSR. (THIS ORDER FOLLOWS EARLIER ORDER HE SAYS HE GAVE TO STOP WORK ON INSTALLING MISSILES.)

2. TAKES ATTITUDE OF "RESPECT AND CONFIDENCE" TOWARD PRESIDENT'S OCTOBER 27 ASSURANCE THAT CUBA WILL NOT BE ATTACKED, EITHER BY USA OR OTHER WESTERN HEMISPHERE COUNTRIES, AND THEREFORE, HE REPEATS, HE HAS ORDERED SOVIET OFFICERS COMMANDING MISSILES TO STOP CONSTRUCTION, DISMANTLE THEM, AND BRING THEM BACK TO USSR. UN REPRESENTATIVES MAY VERIFY DISMANTLING, PURSUANT TO KHRUSHCHEV'S OCTOBER 27 LETTER.

3. WANTS TO CONTINUE TALKING ABOUT REGULATION OF RELATIONS BETWEEN NATO AND WARSAW PACT AND CONTINUE EXCHANGE OF OPINIONS ABOUT BANNING NUCLEAR WEAPONS, GENERAL DISARMAMENT, " AND OTHER QUESTIONS RELATING TO DIMINUTION INTERNATIONAL TENSION."

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4. IN ADDITION TO VIOLATION BY U-2 OF SOVIET TERRITORY OVER SAKHALIN AUGUST 30, U.S. RECONNAISSANCE PLANE VIOLATED SOVIET TERRITORY OVER CHUKOTSK PENINSULA ON OCTOBER 28. KHRUSHCHEV ASKS PRESIDENT TO TAKE APPROPRIATE MEASURES TO PREVENT RECURRENCE, " SO THAT THIS MIGHT NOT SERVE AS PROVOCATION TO UNLEASHING OF WAR."

5. REQUESTS PRESIDENT STOP OVERFLIGHTS OF CUBAN TERRITORY, IN ORDER THAT LIVES NOT ONLY OF CUBAN PEOPLE, BUT ALSO OF LARGE NUMBER SOVIET OFFICERS, INSTRUCTORS, SPECIALISTS, AND OTHER TECHNICIANS, MAY NOT BE ENDANGERED.

6. FIRST DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER KUZNETSOV HAS BEEN SENT TO NEW YORK, "TO HELP" IN CONNECTION WITH U THANT DISCUSSIONS WITH SOVIET, US, AND CUBAN REPRESENTATIVES.

AIR POUCHING ORIGINAL OCTOBER 30.

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